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DOES AID MEAN CONTROL?

From The Brunswick Times-Gazette

It is more than six weeks since the Senate passed a bill for Federal aid to education. The House has won; it consider weightier matters on its mind. But the issue remains both weighty and urgent.

Many good people are still disturbed by the assumption that Federal aid means Federal control. It would be useful for them to look at the bill passed by the Senate ($1472) and the companion bill awaiting consideration by the House (HR-p953).

Unique in the history of Federal grants in aid are their specific and comprehensive prohibition of direct or indirect control of the schools which would receive aid. This is in contrast to the vocational education laws, for instance, which have been in force for the past 30 years and under which Federal standards are set up for state participation.

Few people realize that Federal aid in the form of land grants to schools dates from 1785 and in the form of money grants from 1802. Few people in the better-favored portions of the United States realize the appalling educational slums that exist in parts of the country which may devote a relatively higher percentage of their funds to the schools than do wealthier states.

Americans are right to stand jealous guard over the local control of schools which is a bulwark of liberty. But this need not rule out any well-hedged attempt to provide a bare minimum of equality of opportunity. For that is also a part of the democratic tradition.

THE MAYFLOWER

From Winchester Star

A vessel intimately connected with American history for a quarter of a century is now a lowly tramp steamer in the Mediterranean trade. She is the Mayflower, famous as the floating White House during the terms of six Presidents and a veteran of three wars.

The Mayflower was built in Glasgow in 1896, acquired by the Navy for $420,000 and fought in the Spanish- American war. In 1902 she was taken over as a presidential yacht, being used in that capacity by Presidents Theodore Roosevelt, Taft, Wilson, Harding, Coolidge and Hoover. President Hoover turned the ship over to the Navy in 1929 as an economy measure.

In World War I the Mayflower was a sub chaser and she did similar duty in World War II. Burning at a Philadelphia dock in 1931, she was raised and refitted for naval duty. Later she was owned by the Maritime Commission, but, after burning again last year, she was finally sold to private mariners.

Much history was made on this ship, but anyone seeing her now who was formerly connected with her would have the feeling of nostalgia evoked by revisiting a former home where only ruins meet the eye and sadden the memory of a former grandeur.

Governor Dewey improves his chances for Republican nomination by defeating Stassen in the Oregon election.

Fate of sacred shrines unknown as fight continues in Jerusalem.

Quality is Economy

Buckingham Flynn

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Hixburg

Hixburg, May 24.- Mrs. E. M. Sears spent Friday in Richmond.

Hugh Swann, of Bluefield, W. Va., is spending sometime with his sisters, Mrs. N. S. Topping, of Hixburg; Mrs. Estelle Rosser, of Pamplin, and Mrs. Jennie Young of Prospect, and his brother, W. A. Swan, of Hixburg. He is much improved in health.

Mrs. Bessie Grinstead and Mrs. J. R. Marshall called on Miss Mag Hix Friday. Sears Hix, of N. C., is the expected guest in this home Tuesday, May 25.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Wilson, and Mr. and Mrs. Douglas McClure spent Sunday P. M. in the home of J. R. Marshall.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Hix, of Prospect spent Sunday P. M. with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Carwile.

Rev. J. S. Moore preached a fine sermon at the Mathews Baptist Church Sunday at 3 P. M. He gave some interesting reports on the Southern Baptist Convention, held in Memphis, Tenn. He said 15,000 delegates attended the convention.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas McClure, of Glasgow spent the past week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Wilson.

Women now find 2-way help for old problem

What to do for woman's oldest problem, functional monthly pain? Many a girl and woman has found the answer in CARDUI's 2-way help. You see, CARDUI may make things less easier for you in either of two ways: (1) started 3 days before "your time" and taken as directed on the label, it should help relieve functional periodic pain; (2) taken throughout the month like a tonic, it should improve your appetite, aid digestion, and thus help build up resistance for the trying days to come. CARDUI is scientifically prepared and scientifically tested. If you suffer "at those certain times", get CARDUI today.

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wood, May 25.- Rev. J. C. , of Washington, D. C. arriday to spend a few days ing the modernization of home, which he purchased me time ago.

George R. Marshall, of V.c- s a guest of G. P. Bran- Wednesday.

Clyde Jackson and Mr Fleshman were in Lynch business Saturday.

nd Mrs. O. J. Hamlett, of were Sunday guests of Mr. . Leonard Blackwell.

nd Mrs. Carter Pankey and ters, Pankey were visiting relatives in Lynchburg

Farrell Jordan and Mr. illine were visiting with in Lynchburg Sunday.

ohn Brooks, a former resour community, and of Lynchburg, died at his urday and was buried at Baptist Church Monday

ooks was a brother of Mann.

nd Mrs. Harold Pillow, of ting visited with Mrs. w and her son, Herman, afternoon.

Pamplin

Pamplin, May 25.- Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Dickerson were recent guests in the home of their daughter, Mrs. Henry Hungate, of Christiansburg. Mrs. Hungate and son accompanied them home for a short visit.

Week-end guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Dickerson were Braxton Dickerson, of Danville, and Mr. and Mrs. George Williamson, of Lynchburg.

Week-end guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Mann were Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Ranson and family, of Lynchburg.

Mrs. Elsie Moffett, of Lynchburg was the week-end guest in the home of Dr. and Mrs. C. H. McCall.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Luca 'o and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Davis spent last week-end with relatives and friends on the Eastern Shore.

Thomas Jamerson, of Newport News spent last week-end with his wife here.

Dr. and Mrs. C. H. McCall and daughter, Nancy Jane Hall, were visitors in the home of the Rev. and Mrs. A. J. Ponton and Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Fears, of Lynchburg Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. J. K. Jarad, who has been visiting in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Wood and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Davis, returned to her home in Norfolk last Saturday.

Walter Payne, Jr. spent Sunday in Charlottesville.

Mr. and Mrs. K. L. McClenny and daughter, Betty were visitors in the home of Mrs. N. L. McClenny Sunday afternoon.

George Abbitt Terry, of Richmond spent last week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Terry.

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istic Folks nely Hermit

, O.—Although Elias , the hermit of Northownship, north of here, is ost modern conveniences, electric razors, safety reight razors and shears, a modern generation that s old when his home blew

ear-old recluse lived most in Northampton township, ears in nearly the same

not live in exactly the because once his home d out and he moved to which recently was tossed newhat by a big wind. ient barn was lifted from tion and tilted to a 45- gle with the aged man nside.

e barn rolled back, his a quantity of canned bed and a half dozen pet Swarthouth in the cor-

ing, Swarthouth included, rs several hours until the on volunteer fire departe to his rescue with an ax ed open the door. He was

o residents tried to put the onto the foundation. blow, however, was too f the volunteers decided wn the structure and use it to build a small house.

uth, half a century ago, champion hay pitcher of , despite an injury that arms stiff.

ore the turn of the cen- arthouth nursed a distant through a dangerous ill- out of gratitude the rela- Swarthouth he could live tive's home rent free the a life.

cle Sam Says

your place in the Parade to No matter what your pre- ns is, or what your fo- be—saving today will get ey, faster! And there's no easy profitable way to save Convenient Payroll Savings an where you work! Every cked away in bonds today of your "take-home savmoney—that GROWS. It's a of better things ahead for your family. For the self- of, the Bond-A-Month Plan your bank provides the autosafe, sure, profitable way to the Security Parade. Sign security today! And remem- AMERICA'S SECURITY SECURITY!

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—The Times-Virginian.

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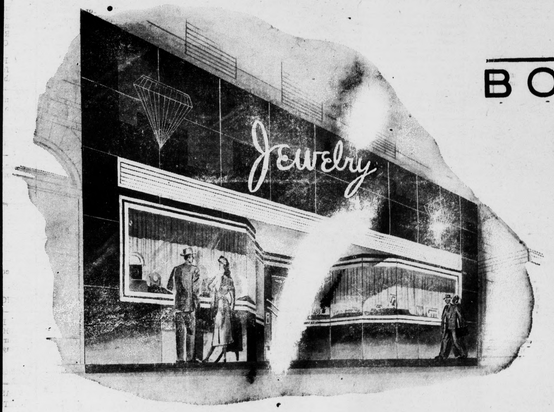

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